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In re application of Philip O. Livingston and Friedhelm Helling

Serial No.: 08/196,154

Group Unit: 1645

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For: GANGLIOSIDE-KLH CONJUGATE VACCINES WITH QS-21

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment to the above-identified application.

- ☒ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ a verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☐ No additional fee is required.

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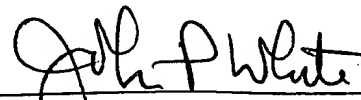
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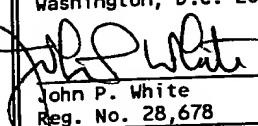
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Sir:

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO OCTOBER 6, 1999 OFFICE
ACTION AND PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

This Amendment is submitted in response to an October 6, 1999 Office Action issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the October 6, 1999 Office Action was originally due January 6, 2000. Applicants hereby petition for a three month extension of time. Applicants have previously established small entity status. The required fee for a three month extension of time for a small entity is \$435.00 and a check which includes this amount is enclosed. Therefore, a response is now due April 6, 2000. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

Please amend the subject application as follows:

In the claims:

Please cancel claims 69-96 without prejudice or disclaimer to applicants right to pursue the subject matter of these claims in a later-filed application and add new claims 97-115 as follow

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